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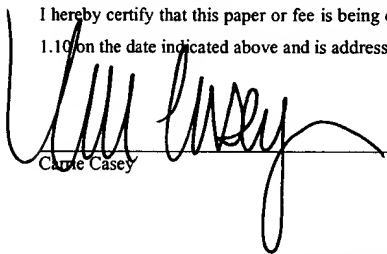
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

Noting the Office Action of May 11, 2004 wherein restriction has been required, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.